





## Hartford Republican

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING  
J. B. ROGERS, Editor and Proprietor  
FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1894.

### Republican Ticket.

Election, Nov. 6.  
For County Judge—John P. Morton.  
For Sheriff—Cal. P. Keown.  
For County Clerk—D. M. Hoehner.  
For County Attorney—E. P. Neal.  
For Assessor—N. C. Daniel.  
For Jailor—John W. Black.  
For Surveyor—G. S. Fitzhugh.  
For Coroner—G. C. Westerfield.

MAGISTRATES:  
Hartford—A. S. Aull.  
Roxbury—C. L. Woodward.  
Cromwell—J. B. Wilson.  
Fordsville—J. B. Wilson.  
Buford—

CONSTABLE:  
Hartford—Hosea Shown.  
Roxbury—Thomas Allen.  
Cromwell—R. B. Martin.  
Fordsville—  
Buford—

## PHILOSOPHERS

### SAY

There's no Eating in Heaven.

The average head of the culinary department hopes with the philosopher. But since we must eat to live, let's eat the best. It is always the cheapest. Our line of groceries is complete, and you can always depend on it that they are pure and WHOLESOME.

We solicit a share of your patronage. Prices always consistent with quality.

TRACY & SON.

Circuit Court is in session at Owensboro.

The Louisville Commercial is coming out now as an eight column paper.

The Sunday Blade is the name of a bright new Sunday paper published at Louisville.

The results of the recent elections over the country are anything but discouraging to the Republicans.

SCOTT GRAY, who killed J. H. Borders at Lewis Station last week, has been admitted to bail in the sum of \$3,000 at Owensboro.

The good people of town are united in the new Police Judge, City Attorney and Marshall may make life miserable for the violators of law in Hartford.

The great buildings of the World's Fair, which for six months were the wonder of all the earth and which cost many millions of dollars have been sold to a Chicago firm for \$75,000, and they will be torn down at once.

REV. B. FAY MILLS, the noted evangelist, is expected to begin a series of meetings at Owensboro about the middle of May. It is to be hoped he will give that city a shaking up equal to that administered last summer by Sam Jones.

The new school law provides that the County Institute shall continue not less than five days nor more than ten days. What would the Ohio county teachers think of a ten days session? Do you not think that length of time could be profitably spent? Let's hear from you.

The efforts of the attorneys for Breckenridge to make it appear that he, the great silver-tongued orator at about fifty-seven, was led from the paths of rectitude by Miss Pollard, a seventeen year old school girl, would be extremely silly if it were not about the only thread to which they can hang their miserable cause.

The Southern School scores a point in this wise:  
"It has been said that there are Teachers who neglect children because they are poor and ragged. We can scarcely believe it, but if true, you might put ten thousand such souls on the point of a cambric needle and they would never meet one another in their wanderings."

The Owensboro Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met at Mt. Zion Church, near Ensor, last Saturday and continued through an interesting session lasting several days. A proposition was before the body in the shape of an amendment to the Constitution of the church providing for the admission of women to the offices of elder and deacon, and with good hard common sense the amendment was unanimously voted down.

THE Hon. Ed. Porter Thompson, who has so ably filled the responsible position of Superintendent of Public Instruction of the State since 1891, is a candidate for re-election, subject to the action of the Democratic party. He is one of the very best Superintendents the State has ever had. His administration has been characterized by intelligent and well directed effort, and has witnessed the awakening of an educational interest never before so promising. Supt. Thompson is on the off side of the political fence, and for that reason only will stand a slim show of election, but in case the people decide to continue the rule of Democracy another short breathing spell, he's unmistakably our choice.

TRUSTEES and teachers will bear in mind that the New School Law provides that no teacher shall be employed until the Trustees elected in June shall be qualified and the new Board organized. This provision makes clear a question long in doubt regarding the legality of contracts made between teachers and old Boards of Trustees. As it now stands such contracts are clearly illegal.

THE Democratic leaders of Minnesota, disgusted with the muddle into which the Cleveland Administration has brought the country, have issued through the Democratic Association of that State a ringing address, full of scathing denunciation of their party leaders. Among many other things they say the following:

"In less than two years after winning the most complete victory any party ever won, while yet in full possession of the powers then given us, we present the appearance of a defeated party, while our opponents, routed in that battle, wear all the airs of victory. What has wrought this peril? Not from our open opponents; not from the brawling horde of protectionists whom we met and overthrew in 1892; but from malignant and treacherous influences allied with weakness and cowardice, within our own ranks. The danger that observation men saw when the election of 1892 put on our party the responsibility of directing national affairs and the duty of redeeming the pledge of tax reform made to and accepted by the people, than a cloud no larger than a man's hand, has overspread the whole sky."

Thus declaring boldly what Republicans have charged all along that the Democratic party by virtue of the conflicting elements of which it is composed is not only unable to agree within itself on any great national policy, but is in fact for that reason if for no other, incompetent to control successfully the affairs of so great a country.

### ROBBING THE HOME.

For more than eighteen hundred years there has been going constantly on a struggle for the disenfranchisement of woman from the state of cruel subjugation and slavery in which for so long she was held captive. The religion of Jesus Christ has had no little to do in this breaking of shackles. The rise and progress of Republicanism and the gallantly borne of the days of chivalry have been potent factors in bringing man's helpmeet from a state of serfdom to her present dignified place in the christian home.

Nowhere else in all the world is woman so highly esteemed as in our own country, and nowhere else is the blessing of her pure life and influence in the home so needed as here and now. The home is the very foundation of our social and religious institutions and a blow directed at the influence of home's queen is destructive of the very existence of all that as a people we hold dear and sacred. To the thinking, conservative mind, little else is needed to make the condition of woman most powerful for good, save the culture and refinement now so sought after throughout the land, and at whose fountain the humblest may drink. But this sentiment is not indulged by a class of enthusiasts, in whose ear ambitious bee is loudly buzzing. This class is made up of two ingredients, viz: Manly women, who should have been men; and womanly men, who should have been women. If these could be eliminated from society then the peace and quietude of the happiest home life in the world would be assured. These enthusiasts have conceived the idea that they are reformers of existing evils, but in truth they are the creators of non-existing evils. Whoever would divide woman's influence between home and politics is an enemy to the best interests of both. Woman's natural condition is that of mother to the race, and when by a false notion of duty she is led to leave the sphere to which God has assigned her, she robs herself of her power for greatest good and the world of her best and holiest influence.

This country has had already too much false teaching on this subject of so-called Woman's Rights and kindred themes until thousands of homes have been made barren of the light and glory of woman's influence, merely that she might earn a meager living as a clerk or a book keeper or in some other of the thousand and one employments, meet only for men, into which the girls of the country are being deluded by this false notion of duty and place. From the degradation and inequality of social slavery, woman has been elevated after centuries of labor but now the tendency is to an exacting industrial servitude, ten times worse for the home life than the former. It is time to call a halt, and leave woman to her God-given sphere as queen of the home.

### CENTERTOWN.

Miss Gussie Woodward is visiting her aunt at Owensboro at this writing.

Misses Birdie Benton and Dena Woodward spent Tuesday night in town, the guests of Miss Sudie Anderson.

The social given at Mr. Will Rhodes' Tuesday night was highly enjoyed by all who attended.

Mrs. Sue Gray, our popular Milliner, is doing a big business.

Miss Mamie Maddox and Mr. Clarence Taylor, of the Point, neighborhood, and Miss Maude Taylor, Messrs. Harb Taylor and Tim Austin, of Beaver Dam, attended the social at Mr. Rhodes' Tuesday night.

Miss Lola Bennett, who has been out of school on the account of the

mumps, is, we are glad to say, improving and will soon be back in school.

W. P. Rendar has moved to his farm and is now ready to raise a fine crop.

Misses Lila Stron, Billie Benton, Sudie Anderson and Dena Woodward and Messrs. V. G. Barnett, John T. Rome, Jo Barnett and L. C. Brown attended church at West Providence last Sunday. They report a pleasant time.

Ernie Morton, who is attending Hartford College, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents here.

The people of Centertown have organized a Sunday School at this place. They take a great interest in the school and we hope it will be successful.

Misses Ada and Bess Brown spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Bertha Brown, of Rockport, visited in this community last week, the guest of Mr. Tom Brown and family.

### BEAVER DAM.

April 11.—Rev. I. H. Teel, wife and child, of Rochester, came over Saturday returning Sunday.

Rev. Teel filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Barnes entertained a few friends Wednesday night last. All had an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Perry Brunton, and Harry Waddle are on the sick list this week.

Mr. J. B. Wilson and wife returned Saturday night from a short bridal tour and were met at Beaver Dam in grand style.

Miss Sadie Stewart, of Butler county, a niece of Mrs. Perry Brunton, will be in town for the next seven weeks, attending school and studying music.

Rev. Ashcroft, an Evangelist, preached quite an excellent sermon at this place Sunday night.

Mrs. L. B. Bean, of Hartford, has been the guest of her sisters, Mrs. R. P. Hocker and Mrs. F. O. Austin this week.

Quite a crowd of young folks spent the day in the country, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ham Miller, Sunday.

Mr. Claude Maddox has declined attending school, for the present, anyway.

Mrs. Dr. W. T. McKenney and Mrs. F. O. Austin were in Hartford Friday.

Mr. E. H. Patterson was in town Sunday, as usual. He also made a call.

Mr. A. D. Taylor, our photographer, will leave Monday, the 15th, for Dawson and will be away for some time. All who have not had their likeness taken have missed a wonderful good opportunity.

Mr. George DeJarnett, of Hawesville, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Dr. J. J. Mitchell.

The school tax is now afloat on the breeze.

### SCHOOL NOTES.

Messrs. R. A. London and F. Brown spent Saturday and Sunday at their homes. Also Misses Annie Allen, Sue Monroe and Annie Raley.

Miss Maggie Brunton, who has been out of school for quite a while, is now with us again.

The Teachers' Training Class is one of the most interesting things going.

The B. H. C. Society entertained the R. E. C.'s Friday night. The exercises were highly enjoyable.

We are all looking forward to the time when we will enjoy school days in a better and handsomer house.

### ATTY.

### DEANFIELD.

The Miners are on a strike.

Mrs. Mollie Spurrer and her son, Master Frank, Owensboro, are visiting the family of Mrs. G. W. Kelley this week.

Mr. A. Lanham is very sick at this writing.

Born, to the wife of Dan Tierney, on the 31st inst., a fine girl.

Mr. T. J. Hardin went to Owensboro to-day.

Miss Annie Gabbert, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Owensboro for several days, returned home yesterday.

Mr. John Pierce made a flying trip to Fordsville Friday.

Miss Florence Wright, of Fordsville, is teaching a spring school at this place. The pupils seem to be well pleased with their teacher.

Mr. G. W. Kelley's new house is nearing completion. Mr. J. H. Loyd is building the chimney.

Rev. Jarnagin filled his regular appointment at Zion Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Kate Wagner, of Owensboro, is visiting Miss Gertie Powell.

Miss Minnie Skeeters, of Victoria, is visiting the family of Bud Parsons. Cap Colbert has quit mining and gone to farming.

Mrs. Effie Brooks, who has been very sick for some time, is, we are glad to say, improving.

Miss Mollie Jett, of Pellville, has accepted a position as clerk in Mr. Thad Jett's store at Haynesville. Miss Mollie is a bright, energetic young lady and we predict a bright future for her in her chosen profession.

family to his father's in Hancock county.

Rev. Greathouse has been holding a series of meetings here. He proposes to tell the cause of the hard times and when they will end.

Messrs. Lee Phillips and Willie Rebarber, of Grayson county spent a few days with the former brethren at this place. They were enroute for Henderson, where they will make their future home.

### COUNTRY JAV.

#### Duncan-Hamilton.

Mr. D. M. Duncan and Miss Kate Hamilton, McHenry, were married at the Presbyterian Church at this place last Wednesday night, Rev. J. T. Mitchell pronouncing the ceremony. They are both quite popular, and deserve the heartiest good wishes of their many friends as well as all the blessings life has in store for them.

#### Chappell-Bean.

Mr. Franklin Chappell, of Louisville, and Miss Annie Elizabeth Bean, of Sulphur Springs, were married at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. W. H. Bean, of Centertown, on yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. The groom is a young man of ability and good character, a member of the Courier-Journal staff, and is to be congratulated upon his good fortune. The bride is a young lady of rare culture and beauty. The couple first met in Louisville, where Miss Bean was for some time engaged in a large Millinery establishment. Our people wish this lucky newspaper man and his bonny bride a long life and much happiness.

#### Simmerman-Ford.

At 11 o'clock on Wednesday the 18th, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. J. W. Ford, Mr. R. E. Lee Simmerman, of Johnson City, Tennessee, and Miss Jessie Ford, of this place, will be married. The groom to be came here from Illinois several years ago to attend College and has since, until recently, made his home here. By his good conduct he has made everybody his friend, so much so, that there can scarcely be found a young man anywhere more popular in Hartford than Lee Simmerman. Miss Ford is one of the many estimable young ladies for whose beauty and many womanly virtues the town is noted and is worthy to grace the home of any young man.

Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party will leave for an extended tour, after which the young couple will go to Johnson City, where Mr. Simmerman has banking interests and where he will enter into the practice of the law.

### FARMERS!

This week and next we will offer you Nos. 19 and 20 plows for only \$7.50. These are fac similes of the Oliver, Bissell Chilled plows for \$8. Other things to suit the times.

### TRACY & SON

#### Knifed on the Wagon.

William A. Edwards and "Lying" Bill Bratcher, of the No Creek neighborhood, had a fight Wednesday morning in which the latter came out a crippled up second best. It seems the row came upon Edwards' turning his stock into Bratcher's field. The latter demanded that they be turned out and Edwards refused. Bratcher then proceeded to lay down the fence to turn the stock out himself when Edwards interfered. A shower of words, more or less complimentary, but which would not look well here, passed between them, then Edwards drew a knife and Bratcher picked up a plow share. The plow share was then thrown at Edwards and then Bratcher ran toward the house, Edwards following him at full speed. Just as Bratcher was almost to the door Edwards cut him on the left arm, inflicting an ugly wound. Bratcher started to town, but when near Mr. Jo Foster's gave out on the account of loss of blood, and Mr. Isaac Shown was called in who brought the wounded man to town, where his wound was dressed by the physicians composing the Pension Board, Drs. Mitchell, Maddox and Baird. On examination it was found that the knife had cut passed the bone and the wound was quite serious. Edwards and Bratcher are brothers-in-law. The former is recognized as a peaceable citizen. The latter is the man who so cruelly abused old uncle Jo Jeff Bennett shortly before his death so that public sentiment seems to be with Edwards, even though he winged his man at the latter's own door.

### R. E. C. Entertainment.

Last Friday night was memorable in the history of Hartford's literary entertainments by reason of the appearance of the R. E. C.'s at College Hall in a well selected and faultlessly delivered program. These young ladies are the pride of Hartford and Hartford College and the large audience that greeted them was enough to inspire each one to highest exertions. A moderate admission fee was charged and the proceeds of the evening dedicated to the College Chapel. The large hall was literally jammed full of people anxious to hear what the young ladies had to say.

The entertainment consisted of finely executed tableaux, beautiful songs, dialogues, etc. Every part is deserving of mention but space forbids. It would, however, be unjust not to mention the last number on the program, the wonderful Cronathanoletron. It was unique, amusing and yet instructive. The audience enjoyed it even more if possible than the other brilliant parts of the performance. This effort of the young ladies will be long and pleasantly remembered. The proceeds amounted to \$53.75.

The severest cases of rheumatism are cured by Hodd's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. Now is the time to take it. Hodd's cures.

Land for Sale.  
Having just returned from Kansas, I wish to dispose of about 400 acres of land in three or four tracts and in neighborhood of Green River Church. Will sell said lands cheap and on easy terms. I can be found by mail at Cromwell and will be at my old homestead 2 miles east.

G. C. BUTLER.

For the occasion of the Southern Baptist Convention, tickets will be on sale for train No 7 May 8th and for trains of May 9, 10, 11 and 12, '94, at \$22.55 for the round trip, limited to 3 days each way with extreme limit of 30 days from date of sale. The "Big Baptist Train" will leave Memphis via "Cotton Belt" at 11 a. m. Wednesday, May 9, and arrive at Dallas 7 a. m., May 10th.

H. MERRICK, Agent.

Notice.  
On and after this date, April 6, my Post-office address will be Sulphur Springs, Ky. W. H. MOORE.

Will Leave  
Beaver Dam about 19th or 26th of April. All persons wanting first-class photographic work, I will be glad to make them. Remember I use the Instantaneous Process for Baby Pictures. Come to Beaver Dam for your Photos, where you always get first-class work. Yours truly, A. D. TAYLOR.

## QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BEAVER DAM DEPOSIT BANK

At the Close of Business on the 23d day of December, 1893.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts, less	
Loans to Directors	\$54,127.50
Loans to Directors (officers not included)	600.00
Overdrafts, secured	1,412.00
Overdrafts, unsecured	508.48
Due from National Banks	15,759.11
Due from State banks and Banks	108.00
Banking house and lot	3,000.00
Specie	1,398.97
Currency	5,017.00
Other items carried as cash	50.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00
Taxes paid	134.05
Current expenses	1,768.56
	\$85,443.67

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in, in cash	\$25,000.00
Surplus fund	5,250.00
Undivided profits	6,312.33
Due Depositors	48,830.36
Due to banks and S'te b'k's	50.98
	\$85,443.67

STATE OF KENTUCKY, ss  
COUNTY OF OHIO, ss

John H. Barnes, Cashier of Beaver Dam Deposit Bank, a bank located and doing business in the town of Beaver Dam, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said bank at the close of business on the 23d day of December, 1893, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 23d day of December, 1893, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by John H. Barnes, the 30th day of December, 1893. SUNDAY TAYLOR, Dep. County Court Clerk. I. P. BARNARD, President. R. P. HOCKER, Director. JNO. H. BARNES, "

## QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BANK OF HARTFORD

At the close of Business on the 23d day of December, 1893.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, less	
Loans to Directors	\$68,304.80
Loans to Directors (officers not included)	406.00
Loans to Officers	400.00
Overdrafts, secured	1,937.35
Overdrafts, unsecured	437.06
Due from Nat. Banks	5,996.74
Due from S'te B'ks & B'k's	483.28
Banking house and lot	3,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	2,718.78
Specie	2,260.00
Currency	2,145.59
Exchanges for Clearings	1,367.49
Other items carried as cash	1,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	145.97
Taxes paid	1,088.50
Current expenses	698.54
Other assets, debts in suit	\$93,701.77

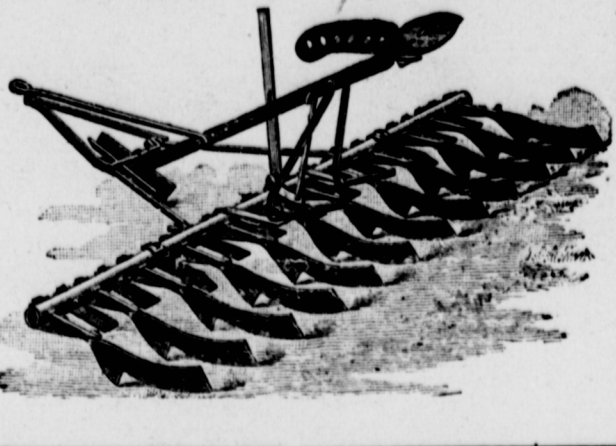
LIABILITIES.	
Cap'l stock paid in, in cash	\$30,000.00
Undivided profits	7,418.97
Deposits subject to check (on which is not paid)	56,069.79
Due National Banks	81.63
Due State banks and ban's	131.38
	\$93,701.77

STATE OF KENTUCKY, ss  
COUNTY OF OHIO, ss

Sam K. Cox, President of Bank of Hartford, Ky., a Bank located and doing business in the town of Hartford, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing Report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said Bank at the close of business on the 23d day of December, 1893, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said Bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designating the 23d day of December, 1893, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Sam K. Cox the 28th day of December, 1893. G. B. LUKENS, C. O. C. SAM K. COX, President. J. J. MCHEENRY, Director. JOHN C. THOMAS, " J. S. COLEMAN, "

# TRACY & SON



LEADERS IN

## Farming Implements.

### "ACME HARROWS" A SPECIALTY.

Call on them for anything in the Implement Line.

TRACY & SON, - Hartford.

## BRIDGMAN'S New Railroad and Co. Map

## STATE of KENTUCKY

From the latest Official and other Authentic Sources. Adapted for use in Institutions of Learning, Business Offices and Libraries. Size: 6 feet, 3 inches by 4 feet. Elegantly colored, varnished and mounted. Special rates to schools, singly or in combination sets.

The increasing interest in the study of Local Geography and the unsupplied demand for a clear, complete and reliable large Map of Kentucky, have induced us to undertake the large investment required, and to devote our unsurpassed facilities for Compiling, Engraving, Printing, Coloring and Mounting, to its production. Relying on the support of an intelligent community, we present a brief synopsis of the main features we have embodied in this great work.

1. A scale of about 6 miles to the inch, exceeding all others issued.
  2. Names and boundaries of Counties as they exist at the present date.
  3. Correct location of Cities, Towns, Post Offices and Railroad Stations.
  4. Courses of Rivers, Creeks and important Streams, with their names distinctly shown.
  5. The network of Railroads which form the main pathways for State products to the seaboard and channels for easy intercommunication. Each Railroad in operation at this date is plainly and correctly shown, with stations, junctions, etc. Also principal proposed routes.
  6. The Railroad Connections in the adjoining States clearly shown.
  7. A bold and handsome style of Lettering by which every name is readily and quickly perceived.
  8. Indicating the largest Cities and Post Offices by distinctive designations, which show their relative size and importance.
  9. Geological Map of the State as per the U. S. Geological Survey.
  10. Climatological Map of the State.
  11. Hypsometric Map of the State.
  12. A map of the Congressional Districts, showing the Counties in each.
  13. Map showing the Territorial extent of Kentucky compared with that of England.
  14. Map showing the State as organized in 1812.
  15. A finely executed marginal Map of the United States and Canada, showing relative position and size of each State and Territory, largest Cities, adjoining countries, etc.
  16. A condensed Gazetteer of the Counties of the State, tersely exhibiting for each, its Location, Area, Population, Capital and the River furnishing its chief drainage system.
  17. The Variations of Time in different parts of the State, indicated at each Meridian.
  18. List of Governors to the present year, with dates of service.
  19. Leading State Institutions and their location.
  20. Historical and descriptive sketch of the State.
  21. Diagram illustrating the Increase of Population at 20 year intervals.
  22. An epitomized list of Items of General Information regarding the State.
  23. Illustrated by effective vignettes of the State Capitol, State University, Western Asylum, Celebrated Monuments, etc.
- Omitting insignificant details, while essentials are clear and distinct, we present this Map to your critical attention, with full confidence in your appreciation of its superiority. E. C. BRIDGMAN, Engraver, Map Pub., Established 1828. 84 Warren St., New York.

For sale by subscription through our Authorized Canvassers.

Prof. W. J. Koger, Gen. Ag't, Permanent P. O. Address, Fulton, Ky.

### EXTRACTS FROM COMMENDATORY LETTERS.

From Senator A. L. Peterman, editor of "Home and School," Lexington, the Official Organ of Kentucky State Board of Education:  
"I have examined Bridgman's County and Railroad Map of Kentucky, prepared expressly for the use of schools, and can only express my opinion of it by calling it a superb work. I have seen no other map of Kentucky which approaches it in any essential respect."

From Hon. Ed. Porter Thompson, State Superintendent of Education:  
"I heartily concur in Senator Peterman's estimate of this map. Schools in need of a map of Kentucky cannot do better than to take this."

From Prof. Chas. Louis Loos, President of the Kentucky University:  
"I have seen Bridgman's new R. R. and County Map of Kentucky, and which Mr. W. J. Koger is State Agent, and it strikes me by far the best map of our State which I have yet seen—admirably adapted for schools and private use."

From J. W. Newman, Professor in the State Normal School of Kentucky, and Associate Editor of "Home and School":  
"I have examined Bridgman's Railroad and Township Map of Ky., and do not hesitate to say that it is superior to any other map of Kentucky which I have examined. I heartily commend it to the school officers and directors of the State. It is a map that is an ornament to any schoolroom, study or library, and its usefulness is unquestionable."

From Prof. McHenry Rhoads, Supt. of Frankfort City Schools:  
"I have examined Bridgman's map of Kentucky, and unhesitatingly pronounce it the best map of the State it has been my pleasure to examine. Any school owning one will have a most excellent map."

From Prof. C. C. Calhoun, Principal of Lexington Business College:  
"I have examined with much pleasure and interest Bridgman's new R. R. and County Map of Kentucky, and take pleasure in stating that I am surprised and very much gratified to find that such a splendid map has been made of our State. I have never seen anything of the kind which could at all compare with it. It is almost indispensable to the schoolroom, valuable for the office and desirable for the study. I expect to equip our school with them, and hope to



## Strange Things

Have often been discussed. But the strangest thing is how we can afford to sell a ladies' Shoe for \$1.25 that has been sold for \$3. Such strange things as this we are doing with our entire stock of goods. We may be called April fools for it, but we realize that people buy goods where they can be had the cheapest, and we are working for your trade in this way. And did it ever occur to you that merchants who sell on credit charge cash customers the same they do credit ones? We have no bad debts to make our customers pay for. The amount saved in this way is tremendous and you get the benefit of it if you deal with us. Our Spring

## CLOTHING

Is in and we are making our competitors tremble with the prices we are selling them at. Suits they sell at \$15 we let go at \$9, and such is the amount we will save you through our entire Clothing Stock, which we have no hesitancy in saying is decidedly the largest and most

## Complete Stock

In the town or county. Remember we can save you money on anything you wish to buy in our line. Your cash does not have to go to pay back losses, as it does when you trade with a firm that does a

## Credit Business.

"The proof of the pudding is chewing the bag." Come and see! And be convinced.

## FAIR BROS. & CO

— PROPRIETORS OF —

Hartford Temple of Fashion.

## THE SHOE STORE

Don't stop until you get to headquarters. If you want Shoes, don't go to a tailor, but go to a Shoe Man.

### SCHAPIRE IS YOUR MAN.

He can suit the most fastidious and exacting taste. His spring stock consists of the latest styles, toes and lasts.

LADIES—If you want neat, artistic footwear, don't stop until you see his stock of Russian Calf, Ooze Calf, French Kid, The Blucher, Mat Kid and Dongola. Prices from \$1 to \$3.50

MEN'S SHOES in Tan, Kangaroo, Glove Kid, Gazelle Kid, Calf and Dongola, and a big line of Plow Shoes. Prices from \$1 to \$5. N. B.—Everything guaranteed as represented.

### NEW TIME TABLE.

WEST.  
EFFECTIVE APRIL 8, 1894, 4:25 p. m.  
No. 5, Mail . . . . . 11:48 a. m.  
No. 7, Lim. Ex. . . . . 11:25 p. m.  
No. 31, (Local) . . . . . 4:35 p. m.

EAST.  
No. 6, Mail . . . . . 12:50 p. m.  
No. 8, Lim. Ex. . . . . 3:25 a. m.  
No. 32, (Local) . . . . . 5:54 a. m.  
H. MERRICK, Ag't, Beaver Dam.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1894.

See Carson & Co. for Fertilizer.

Trade with Carson & Co.

We are the grocers at Carson & Co.

Carson & Co. are the leaders in Dress Goods.

We can knock 'em all out on Clothing at Carson & Co.

Editor A. J. Casey, of Owensboro, spent Sunday in town.

Don't buy your Millinery until you see Fair Bros. & Co's line.

Big line White Goods, Lawns, Mulls, Dimities at Fair Bros. & Co.

If you are going to get married and need a new Suit, see Carson & Co.

Big line gentlemen and ladies Russian calf shoes at Fair Bros. & Co.

Mrs. W. H. Griffin visited friends and relatives at Rockport this week.

New style Alpine shape hats for young men only \$1.00 at Fair Bros. & Co.

Have you seen our new Hats? We have the latest styles.

Carson & Co.

Miss Dessie Duke was called home a few days ago to the bed-side of a sick sister.

Trade with people that trade with you. We buy all kinds of good country produce.

Carson & Co.

Everybody depends on Miss Sara for a stylish Hat. As usual her stock this spring can't be surpassed.

Carson & Co.

Miss Luara Render, who is teaching the spring term of the Shultstown School, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Render, Saturday and Sunday.

Fresh Cabbage at L. B. Stevens.

Clothing to fit everybody at Fair & Co.

Seed Sweet potatoes at L. B. Stevens.

Best line of mens fine shoes at Fair Bros. & Co.

Fair Bros. & Co. are selling THE Clothing.

Cheapest line of Millinery at Fair Bros. & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson returned Wednesday.

Fine potatoes, 90c per bushel, at L. B. Stevens.

Good Brown Shoes \$1.00 at Fair Bros. & Co.

Extra yard wide Bleach Cotton 6c at Fair Bros. & Co.

Good Brown Cotton 5c: best Indigo Prints 5c, at Fair Bros. & Co.

Biggest line Ribbons, Laces and Velling at Fair Bros. & Co.

Mr. H. T. Maxwell, Shreve, made our office a pleasant call Friday.

Just received another large shipment of Furniture at Carson & Co.

Nice apple butter, currant jelly and peach preserves at W. H. Williams.

We are stocked up in the Clover Leaf Shoes—the best shoe made.

Carson & Co.

Newest style lasts in Ladies and Misses Fine Shoes and Oxfords at Fair Bros. & Co.

We guarantee every part of our Nos. 13, 19 and 20 to fit every part of the celebrated Oliver. TRACY & SON

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Felix and son, Douglas, attended the Duncan-Hamilton nuptials at McHenry Wednesday night.

W. H. Williams has a nice assortment of NEW CABBAGE, KALE, GREENS, LETTUCE, RHUBARB, and green onions.

The "Bon Tons" will give a ball at the Court House to-night. All ladies cordially invited to attend. Bean's Orchestra will furnish music for the occasion.

When you purchase anything from us be sure to get a bill with the amount of your purchase so as not to make any mistake.

TRACY & SON.

Lima Beans at L. B. Stevens.

E. P. Neal, of Prentice, was in town Monday.

Judge E. Dudley Walker returned from Leitchfield Wednesday.

J. W. Ford and A. J. Bell returned from Owensboro Monday night.

Try Rough River Flour, the new brand, only \$2.95 per barrel.

See J. W. Ford & Co. for choice fancy Flour, only \$2.50 per barrel.

Just received, a new lot of Wall Paper, at L. B. Bean's. Prices low.

Attorney W. T. Hayward has recovered from an attack of the mumps.

Mr. George H. Barnes, of Beaver Dam, made this office a pleasant call Monday.

Miss Effie Kahn, of Cromwell, spent last week with Miss Ara Patterson, of McHenry.

Mr. Clarence Field has accepted a position in the grocery of W. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Ryan, Schochoh, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. B. D. Ringo.

Attorney J. W. Lytle, of Owensboro, came up Saturday and spent several days in town.

Staple and FANCY GROCERIES WHOLESALE and RETAIL at W. H. Williams.

Dr. A. R. Byers, of Olaton, is quite sick at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. George Hoover.

Sam Heavrin, of Owensboro, is visiting his brother, Attorney M. L. Heavrin, this week.

Mr. Charles Fuqua and Miss Annie Cravens, of Palo, will be married at Marvin's Chapel Sunday night next at 7:30 o'clock.

At its June term the County Court will be petitioned to form a new voting precinct with a voting place at Point Pleasant.

W. H. Williams is HEADQUARTERS for the LARGEST and BEST assortment of FRUITS and CONFECTIONS in Hartford.

Rev. J. B. Perryman left yesterday for Butler county, where he will conduct quarterly meeting on the circuit of Rev. E. L. Carson.

In examining the jail recently another batch of saws, pieces of iron and billets of wood was found by jailer Thompson and Mr. William Lyons.

R. T. Tweddle, as good a blacksmith as there is in the Green River country, is at Yeiser's old stand. For all kinds of general blacksmithing call on him.

Misses Ruth Coombes, Bertha Felix, Lizzie Herring and Mr. E. L. Herring went to Olaton Saturday. Miss Herring will remain some time. The other members of the party came home Sunday.

The delegates from this county to the Bowling Green Convention on next Thursday will start on Wednesday. Bob Walker promises faithfully to make his maiden Democratic speech on that occasion.

Mr. B. L. Kelley, who recently located here to enter the practice of his profession, was chosen City Attorney by the Council Monday and he has entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office.

The 3d quarterly meeting on the No Creek charge will be held at Sulphur Springs on the 28th and 29th days of April. The official members are earnestly requested to be present.

J. B. PERRYMAN.

Mr. G. T. Westerfield, of McHenry, and Miss Victoria Crosby, of Central City, will be married next Wednesday the 18th. They are popular and deserving young people and enter upon life with bright prospects. The groom for several was a citizen of Hartford.

Elders F. C. Johnson, Mesa, Maricopa county, Arizona, and N. D. Thatcher, Gentle Valley, Bingham county, Idaho, two preachers of the order known as Latter Day Saints, will hold a Mormon meeting at the Court House, either just before or just after the next term of the Circuit Court.

Mr. John Render died of consumption at his home near Rockport on Tuesday the 10th inst., and was buried in the family burying ground on the home farm Wednesday. He was one of the oldest citizens of the county and a man of unswerving integrity of character. He was charitable to all and leaves behind him the influence of a long and well spent life.

Kennedy, the photographer, is prepared to give satisfaction to those wishing pictures. He is reasonable in his prices and his main object is to please each and every one of his customers. Pictures from the smallest locket size to largest life size. Come while you are enjoying health, and get a fac simile of yourself, one that you will be proud to show your friends to behold. Gallery over Red Front.

The first case to come up before Police Judge Carson was that of the case against Ernest Ross colored on a peace warrant sworn out against him by his grand-mother, Lucy Ross. The boy lived with his grand-mother and had become very boisterous, even going so far as to threaten to burn the house. He was held under \$50 bond and being unable to execute it was lodged in jail.

LATER—On yesterday Ross was brought before Judge Morton on a writ of Habeas Corpus, and his Attorney B. L. Kelly asked that he be released from custody on account of a valid judgment rendered in the Police Court, and the motion was granted, and the boy released.

Mr. J. L. Carson left Monday for No Creek, where he is engaged in covering the parsonage

Rev. T. M. Morton, Centertown, filled Dr. Coleman's pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and night. His sermons were simple, logical and convincing, and our people were much pleased with him.

Robt. Lockry, an industrious and worthy colored man, living near Sulphur Springs, lost his house and the principal part of its contents by fire last Wednesday night week. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Dr. N. G. Mothershead, of Select, is shortly to move to Hopkins county. The Doctor is an elegant gentleman and an able physician and while his friends here regret to lose him yet their best wishes go with him.

Decoration Day will be observed by Preston Morton Post, G. A. R., at Shinkel Chapel, May 30. A Grand time is expected and every body is invited. Rev. J. Bennett will preach the funeral of Mrs. Carter on that occasion.

The Adelphian Literary Society will entertain the members of the R. E. C. and O. L. C. Societies at College Hall to-night. The young gentlemen composing the Society know exactly how to please and a most enjoyable time is expected.

Mr. C. S. Grant and Miss Ida Harder, of Shreve, were married at the home of the bride's father, Mr. James Harder, last Sunday. They are deserving young people and with their many other friends THE REPUBLICAN extends congratulations.

The usual monotony of life in jail was broken Sunday afternoon by an old-fashioned fist fight between two of the able bodied inmates, Woodward and Willis. The affair grew out of a good natured scuffle and ended in a shower of blows in which Woodward came out best.

Mr. Madison Duke, of the Sulphur Springs neighborhood, died Tuesday of heart trouble at the age of sixty-four. He was an honest, upright man and leaves many friends to mourn his loss. The funeral was preached by Rev. G. J. Bean, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Wat Duke graveyard.

Marriage license: T. H. Ross to Miss Delia Garrison, Charlie L. Grant to Miss Ida Harder, Frank Travis to Miss Amanda Smith, Charles Fuqua to Miss Annie Cravens, Wm. Henry House to Miss Ariadne Rowe, Franklin Chappell to Miss Annie Elizabeth Bean, D. M. Duncan to Miss Katie Hamilton.

The C. E. Meisse Co., dealers in School Supplies, placed several Agents in the county in the winter to sell the Company's goods. They drove all over the county visiting the Trustees and selling a few charts and when leaving time came they left C. L. Field holding a livery account unpaid of about \$70 and jumped their board bill at the Commercial for about \$25.

By order of the County Court and under the auspices of Preston Morton Post, G. A. R., the remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Carter, who died at the County Poorhouse last fall, and interred there, were disinterred Tuesday and reinterred in the Hartford Cemetery. Mrs. Carter, during the late war, was for three years a nurse, and it is said that more than once she served successfully as a spy. The Woman's Relief Corps, of the State of Ohio, will furnish an appropriate monument to mark the last resting place of this deserving but neglected old woman.

Church Dedication.

On the 1st Sunday in June the Methodist Episcopal Church at Washington will be dedicated by the Rev. D. F. Kerr, P. E., of the Green River District, Kentucky Conference. All friends of the Church and Christianity are invited to come and bring their baskets of good things to eat and invite your friends to come with you.

J. B. PERRYMAN.

The Frankfort Capital of Monday says:

"Prof. McHenry Rhoads, who has for his guests Editor Wilson and bride, of the Hartford Herald, took them to call on the most of the State Departments yesterday."

The Spring Medicine.

"All run down" from the weakening effects of warm weather, you need a good tonic and blood purifier like Hood's Sarsaparilla. Do not put off taking it. Numerous little ailments neglected will soon break up the system. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now to expel disease and give you strength and appetite.

Hood's PILLS are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Harmless, reliable and sure.

Died April 8, an infant child of W. C. and M. E. Stewart. It was but three days old. It is said to give up our dear little ones, but God knows best and we should bow as submissively to His will as possible, for we know He doeth all things well. Dear parents, your little one has missed the troubles of a cold world and gone to rest with the angels of God.

A. S. KNOWN.

Court Notes.

W. H. Sauchheimer & Sons sue Quisenberry & McCuen to set aside assignment, and asking the appointment of a receiver.

H. A. Miller vs. J. M. Elliott et al. for deed to land.

F. A. Miller sues James T. Hines for \$56 for medical services.

"The melancholy days are come, The saddest of the year; When husbands stay away from home And lunch on cheese and beer."



Mr. B. E. Thomas, Evansville, West Va.

## A Narrow Escape

From Loss of a Limb

Dreadful Case of White Swelling—A Perfect Cure.

One of the most serious forms of scrofula and one of the most difficult to cure is that of white swelling. Hood's Sarsaparilla has accomplished many wonderful cures of white swelling, one of which is related below by Mr. B. E. Thomas, a manufacturer of harnesses, saddles, etc., at Evansville, W. Va. Read his letter:

"In 1882 I was seized with a severe attack of white swelling. Five years later I had to have the flesh on my limb cut open and the bone scraped. After the flesh healed up I was not troubled again until January, 1892. I was taken down with the grip which settled in the previously affected limb, sores gathering where there had been scars, one in particular penetrating to the bone. The whole front of my leg from knee to ankle seemed to be one sore."

A Mass of Corruption.

I could get but little ease and comfort and less benefit from the medical treatment I received. Some of my friends advised me to have the leg amputated, but I hesitated, not wanting to lose a limb. Perchance I saw an advertisement in a paper embracing a testimonial for Hood's Sarsaparilla from one Mr. John McMurray, telling what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and

My Limb is Perfectly Sound.

It has also benefited my general health and I am now able to work at my trade. Hood's Sarsaparilla receives all the praise and I cannot recommend it enough for the good it has done me." B. E. THOMAS, Evansville, W. Va.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for his son. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought six bottles of it about three months ago. I had not taken it two months when I could see it was doing me more good than anything I had taken. I have now used about three bottles. The sores have all healed up and



## Hartford Republican

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1894.

### FAMOUS DESPERADO DEEDS.

A Chapter on the Bandits Known as the Dalton Gang.

Editorial Notes and Items of Interest from the West—Interesting Feature of a Career of Crime.

[PENNSYLVANIA GUY.]

In Missouri, years ago, people used to frighten little children to sleep with the names of the James boys. In these days they still call Fear to the aid of Morpheus, but it is by mentioning the bandits whose criminal history knows as the Dalton gang. Fit successors of Missouri's famous bandits, these products of Kansas border life began a reign of terror in the nation, as the Indian Territory was known within its old confines, that received no serious check until the Coffeyville bank robbery was planned and executed Oct. 5, 1892. This event might be called the Waterloo of the original gang of bandits, but enough of them were left to continue, with the aid of kindred spirits, a career of lawlessness which has made them feared in Kansas and Missouri by the officers of the law as much as by the people whom they chose to visit. As is only natural, every deed of crime with particular features of boldness which occurs in the sections frequented by the desperadoes is ascribed to them. Just now the cars of the express companies on the lines of railroads in Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma are being fortified after the fashion of the arsenal. To be sure the companies have not as yet mounted Gatling guns, but they have armed their messengers to the teeth, doors and sides of the cars being made bullet proof, and after a time giant powder ordnance will become necessary to gain an uninvited entrance to one of the express companies' railway offices. Days of the civil service war are called to mind, too, with exceeding frequency of late in Missouri and Kansas by the presence of guards with menacing Winchester rifles on the car platforms. However, the bandits always seem to know when the railroad companies' men are to be aboard, and rare indeed are the instances of a train being stopped by them.

Opinions differ as to the leader of the Dalton gang, which is at present a terror, not so much for what it is doing as for what it may do. Some people say Bill Dalton is the master mind. Others are inclined to the opinion that an entirely unknown individual is furnishing the gray matter whence comes the plans for the outlaws' raids. But however this may be, the Daltons have ways of their own, and to give even a bandit his dues, it must be said that their record has none of the fiendish butcheries and brutalities with which the careers of the James boys teemed. They rob and kill, but they do not butcher. Now and then they seem given to sort of grim humor, as when, the other day, they raided a bit of a bank in a little Kansas town—and a small town in Kansas is extremely small. They captured the bank in true road agent style, but all they secured was the cashier and \$50—for there was no more in the financial institution. So the bandits took the \$50 dollars and the cashier. The latter was tied upon a horse and was forced to gallop away with the raiders. They took him eight miles out of town and left him, minus a horse, on one of the most lonesome sections of a lonesome prairie. The cashier went back without molestation from steer or rattler, and stated that the walk was not so bad, but to be a butt for a joke by the Dalton gang was a little too much for human nature to endure. Bill Dalton, whose name has become a terror, since the Coffeyville incident is not one of the original gang. Report has it that the most of his life has been spent after the manner of a territorial ranchman, but that when the Dalton gang first became famous his connection with the "boys," that of a cousin, subjected him to such constant suspicion that he determined to become worthy of his reputation, and in truth he has succeeded well. By far the most notable event in the career of the bandits was the robbery of the two National banks at Coffeyville, Kansas, where four of them were killed. It was a desperate fight in which death came to them, for an equal number of residents of Coffeyville received fatal wounds at the same time.

It was with the robber band at El Reno in the spring of 1892 that the Daltons—Robert, Emmett, George and Gratton became notorious in the west. George was a moderate farmer, living on a little ranch in the southwestern part of Kansas, where he was respected by his neighbors as an industrious, law-abiding citizen. All the boys were born and raised in Kansas, and not in Missouri, as has been stated in the press so many times, and their parents were noted for their honesty, charitable deeds and other good qualities. Bob and Gratton first began their deeds of outlawry by running off cattle from the neutral strip and selling them to herders in Colorado. They continued this business until it got so warm for them that they had to leave the country. This seemed to be the turning point in the lives of the boys and after that time there was no crime too daring for them to commit. The first heard of the boys after leaving their Kansas home was in California, where they were accused of robbing a train, waylaying stage coaches and murdering several people. They continued this sort of life

on the coasts for two years until one of the boys was captured for a murder committed in a stage coach affair, and after a desperate fight with the court of the Golden State, narrowly escaping the halter, the boys left the State about the opening of Oklahoma in 1889, and after that time their deeds of outlawry in the Indian Territory equalled if not surpassed the famous James and Younger boys in their palmiest days of plunder and murder. After their return to Oklahoma from California the boys came and went as they pleased, being recognized at nearly every town in the Territory by friends and acquaintances, and at one time in Kingfisher, while buying supplies for his mother, Bob was recognized by a prominent United States Marshal and conversed with the officer for more than half an hour. It is said that Bob one day in Guthrie actually saluted Governor Steele on the streets and afterward joked about it while relating it to a crowd of friends in a neighboring saloon.

The first real attempt at train robbing in the Territory by the Daltons was at the way station of Wharton, nearly four years ago, on the Santa Fe. The boys had received the information from some of their confederates that the money was being shipped to Fort Reno for the purpose of paying off the troops at that post. Others say they were informed of the intended shipment of the money by persons living at the fort, who knew about the time the train and money were expected. Be that as it may, the band appeared at Wharton and waited around in that vicinity several days. The night it was expected the train would pass bearing the money, and just an hour before the train was to arrive, the robbers appeared on the platform and demanded of the operator that he open the door. They wanted to know if the train was on time, and the operator informed them that it was about two hours late. There was only one person beside the operator present. The station, consisting of no other buildings than the little depot and coal shed, afforded the boys a good opportunity for the robbery. The operator recognized Bob Dalton, and fearing that he had notified the approaching train of the attempt that was to be made on the express car, they decided to kill the operator. At any rate he was killed, and the bandits left the place and abandoned the attempt to steal the Fort Reno money. Several months after this the Daltons held up a train at a point only a few miles from Wharton. They secured a large sum of money and although a posse of more than 100 deputy Marshals and cowboys participated in the race to capture the bandits, they all escaped, a man by the name of Bryant, who was arrested on the Rock Island, August the 28th, 1891, by Deputy United States Marshal Ed Short. The Marshal handcuffed his prisoner and placing him in a baggage car, proceeded to pile his revolvers on some boxes that were standing in the corner of the car, but keeping his Winchester in his hands. Arriving at Euclid, a small station, the Marshal, fearing that some of the gang would undertake to release the prisoner, left the baggage room, requesting the baggageman to keep an eye on the prisoner. The Marshal stood on the platform, with the door to the baggage room closed.

The prisoner, although handcuffed, secured a revolver, and, holding it in both hands, told the baggageman that a word from him would be the signal that would forfeit his life. As Short opened the car door to go back in as soon as the train had left the station the handcuffed bandit fired shots thick and fast into the marshal's body. Short fell to the floor, but, turning over, raised his Winchester, and, as the death rattle sounded in his throat, ended the life of the desperado.

The Daltons always declared they would never be taken alive. They not only stated this to their friends, but so informed more than the United States Marshal. Too many murders were known that they are responsible for to admit of their ever expecting anything but a death sentence on a trial, and they seemed to prefer death while fighting for liberty than death after surrender. In California alone there was a reward of \$10,000 for their capture. In Missouri, Kansas and Texas, not to speak of the offers by railroad and express companies, big rewards were promised for the Daltons. Before the opening of Oklahoma, Bob Dalton went to the territory and obtained a position as United States deputy marshal. He served in that capacity during the first big rush into Oklahoma. When Oklahoma opened, Bob's mother and two younger brothers, Grant and Emmett, went to the country and secured a claim near Hennessy, where his mother still lives. Even while Bob still had a commission, stories about the Dalton boys began to be circulated, and not long after the opening of the territory they branched out into full-fledged train robbers and since then, by close attention to business, built up a reputation second only to that of Frank and Jesse James. The mother seems to have been a second Mrs. Samuels, and, although "the boys" were often known to visit her on the claim, no one was ever able to get any information from her that would lead to their capture or to even find out when they were on the farm.

One might as well try to stem the rapids of Niagara, as to expect perfect health while a Scrofulous taint exists in the blood. Through its alternative and purifying properties, Ayer's Sarsaparilla removes every vestige of Scrofulous poison from the blood.



### A SLUGGISH LIVER

CAUSES  
Constipation, Sick Headache,  
Dyspepsia, Nervousness,  
AND DISTURBS THE SYSTEM GENERALLY.  
For all such ailments, and to impart a natural, healthy tone to the stomach, liver, and bowels, take

**AYER'S PILLS**  
Every Dose Effective

### 4-EQUAL-12

Four weeks by our method of teaching book-keeping is equal to Twelve weeks by the old style. Positions Guaranteed, under certain conditions. Best patronized Business College in the South. 500 students in attendance the past year. Eleven Teachers. Nashville is the educational center of the South. Cheap Board. No vacation. Enter any time. Home Study. We have recently prepared books on Book-keeping, Shorthand and Penmanship especially adaptable to home study. Nothing like them ever issued before. Sent on 60 days' trial. Our free illustrated 80-page catalogue will explain all. Send for it now. Draughton's Practical Business College and School of Shorthand and Telegraphy, Nashville, Tenn. N. B.—We pay \$5 cash for all vacancies as bookkeepers, stenographers, teachers, etc., reported to us provided we fill the same.

### FAT PEOPLE

Park Obesity Pills will reduce your weight PERMANENTLY from 12 to 15 pounds a month. NO Starving sickness or injury. NO Purgatives. They build up the health and beautify the complexion leaving NO WRINKLES or flatulency. STOUT ABDOMENS and difficult breathing surely relieved. NO EXPERIMENT but a scientific and positive relief, adopted only after years of experience. All orders supplied direct from our office. Price \$2.00 per package or three packages for \$5.00 by mail postpaid. Testimonials and particulars (sealed) 2 cents.

All correspondence strictly confidential.

PARK REMEDY CO., Boston, Mass.

### CALL ON

Clark & Stottler,  
The Leading Photographers.

Pictures in Every Style and Size.

222 Old Pictures Copied and Enlarged

—A SPECIALTY.—

108 1/2 Main Street.

37-38 OWENSBORO, KY.

### WORMS!

WHITE'S CREAM VERNIFUGE

FOR 20 YEARS

Has led all Worm Remedies.

EVERY BOTTLE GUARANTEED.

BOLD IN THE MARKET.

Prepared by WHITE'S MEDICINE CO., ST. LOUIS.

### PATENTS

CAVEATS, TRADE MARKS, COPYRIGHTS.

CAN I OBTAIN A PATENT? For a

person or an idea, write to

MEN & CO., who have had nearly 25 years

experience in the patent business. Send your

idea strictly confidential. A Handbook of In-

formation concerning Patents and how to ob-

tain them sent free. Also a catalogue of medi-

cal and scientific instruments. Write to

Patents taken through Men & Co. receive

special notice in the Patent Office, and

are brought widely before the public with-

out delay. Send your idea to Men & Co. by

mail, enclosing a photograph of your inven-

tion, if possible, and a description of it. We

will send you a copy of our book, "How to

Obtain a Patent," and will also send you a

copy of our book, "How to Obtain a Patent,"

and will also send you a copy of our book,

"How to Obtain a Patent," and will also

send you a copy of our book, "How to

Obtain a Patent," and will also send you

a copy of our book, "How to Obtain a

Patent," and will also send you a copy

of our book, "How to Obtain a Patent,"

and will also send you a copy of our

book, "How to Obtain a Patent," and

will also send you a copy of our book,

"How to Obtain a Patent," and will also

send you a copy of our book, "How to

Obtain a Patent," and will also send you

a copy of our book, "How to Obtain a

Patent," and will also send you a copy

of our book, "How to Obtain a Patent,"

and will also send you a copy of our

book, "How to Obtain a Patent," and

will also send you a copy of our book,

"How to Obtain a Patent," and will also

send you a copy of our book, "How to

Obtain a Patent," and will also send you

a copy of our book, "How to Obtain a

Patent," and will also send you a copy

of our book, "How to Obtain a Patent,"

and will also send you a copy of our

book, "How to Obtain a Patent," and

will also send you a copy of our book,

"How to Obtain a Patent," and will also

send you a copy of our book, "How to

## EXCELSIOR SCHOOL DESK CO. OF CINCINNATI.

Hon. Ed. Porter Thompson, Superintendent of Public Instruction of the State, has the following to say in regard to the goods of this Company:



J. C. BROOKE, Pres. and Gen'l Mgr. Cincinnati, Ohio, U. S. H.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 17, 1894.

Excelsior School Desk Co., Cincinnati, O.

GENTLEMEN:—Having examined with some care the Maps, Charts, Globes and Blackboard Material which you propose to offer to the schools of this State under the law requiring such illustrative apparatus, I can recommend them as being of good material, good workmanship, and suitable for the use of our teachers. Your plan to sell them in combination, and thus, as you assure me, very materially reduce the price of the whole, is to be commended, and especially so as your outfit is made to cover substantially our whole school course as laid down in Sec. 21 of the School Law. The four classes you have arranged, from which trustees may choose, at specific prices ranging from \$25 to \$55 for a complete outfit, is a great point in your favor.

These Goods are perfectly reliable and the Company is represented by a home man.

Apply to  
**W. H. BARNES, Local Ag't,**  
**HARTFORD, KY.**

Come to Hartford

—TO SEE THE—



SPRING OPENING

—OF—

C. L. Field's car of Buggies just from the

Davis Carriage Company.

He will save you MONEY by Buying from HIM. Will

sell you a Buggy, Harness, Lap Duster and Whip from \$60.00

up to \$75.00. The Davis Carriage Company has the reputa-

tion of building the best Buggy for the money of any Factory

in Cincinnati.

So come and judge for yourself.

### SPENCERIAN BUSINESS COLLEGE

The great practical Business Training Book-keeping and Shorthand

College. This gives a passport to business and success. Catalogue free.

Spencer, Frank J. E. Fish, Sec'y. Address: Spencerian College at

Louisville, Ky., Owensboro, Ky., or Evansville, Ind.

SUBSCRIBE FOR

THE REPUBLICAN

THE WEEKLY

Courier-Journal

Is a ten-page eight column Democratic Newspaper. It contains

the best of everything going. HENRY

WATKINSON is the Editor.

Price \$1.00 a Year.

The Weekly Courier-Journal makes

very liberal terms to agents, and

gives free premiums for clubs. Sam-

ple copies of the paper and four-page

Premium Supplement sent free to

any address. Write to

Courier-Journal Co.,

LOUISVILLE, KY.

THE REPUBLICAN and the Weekly

Courier-Journal will be sent one year

to any address for \$1.75.

Address THE REPUBLICAN, Hart-

ford, Ky.

All parties needing

horse or jack bills

should bring or send

them to The Repub-

lican office. We are

well prepared to do

good work.

TRUE & CO., Box 400,

Augusta, Maine.

Owensboro, Ky.

Here's Something

You Will Like.

We are manufacturers of Buggies, Carts, Surries and Carriages, and deal directly with

the consumer, thus saving him the per cent. usually paid to middle men. Our prices are rea-

sonable, and we guarantee satisfaction.

Respectfully,

F. A. AMES & CO.

Owensboro, Ky.

Here's Something

You Will Like.

We are manufacturers of Buggies, Carts, Surries and Carriages, and deal directly with

the consumer, thus saving him the per cent. usually paid to middle men. Our prices are rea-

sonable, and we guarantee satisfaction.

Respectfully,

F. A. AMES & CO.

Owensboro, Ky.



CLAIRETTE SOAP

MADE ONLY BY FAIRBANK & CO. ST. LOUIS.

W. L. DOUGLAS

\$3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.

\$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoes.

\$3.50 Police Shoe, 3 Soles.

\$2.50, \$2 for Workmen.

\$2 and \$1.75 for Boys.

LADIES AND MISSES,

\$3, \$2.50 \$2, \$1.75

CAUTION.—If any dealer

offers you W. L. Douglas

shoes at a reduced price,

or says he has them with-

out the name stamped

on the bottom, put him

down as a fraud.

W. L. DOUGLAS Shoes are stylish, easy fitting, and give better

satisfaction at the price than any other make. Try one pair and be con-

vinced. The stamping of W. L. Douglas' name and price on the bottom, which

guarantees their value, saves thousands of dollars annually to those who wear them.

Dealers who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers, which helps to

increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can afford to sell at a less profit,

and we believe you will save money by buying at your favorite dealer who

keeps below. Catalogue free upon application. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

P. BENFROW, Sulphur Springs, Ky.

### ATTENTION FARMERS!

If you want to Buy

A - SULKY - PLOW,

OR A DISK HARROW

Or if You Want a Cultiva-

tor or anything in the

Implement - Line

—AT—

BOTTOM - PRICES

—FOR CASH—

Don't fail to buy them of

J. D. WILLIAMS,

General Blacksmith and Wood-worker,

Beaver Dam, Ky.

Surprise Washing Machine, Steel Single

Trees and Hoes.

NEW YORK

WEEKLY TRIBUNE

—AND—

THE HARTFORD REPUBLICAN

ONE YEAR

\$1.25 in Advance.